

## IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the specification as follows:

**Page 1, line 1:**

OPTICAL DISC RECORDER WITH RECORDING MODALITY SWITCHING FOR HIGH QUALITY RECORDING

**Page 7, lines 3-8:**

The RF amplifier 12 amplifies the EFM signal supplied from the optical pickup 10, and during recording, outputs the ~~[[EMF]]~~ EFM signal to the servo circuit 13, address detector circuit 14 and laser power control circuit 20. During reproduction, the RF amplifier 12 outputs the EFM signal to the circuits 13, 14 and 20 as well as the decoder 15. The decoder 15 EFM-demodulates the received EFM signal to generate reproduced data.

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